(Washington, D.C.) – Today, Congressman Rodriguez voted for the Fiscal Year 2010 Consolidated Appropriations bill which includes six appropriations bills including: Transportation-HUD, Labor HHS, Commerce-Justice Science, Military Construction- Veterans Affairs, Financial Services and State and Foreign Operations. The bill included over \$15.7 million in funding sought by Congressman Ciro D. Rodriguez (TX-23).

"As a member of the Appropriations Committee I worked to ensure these six fiscally responsible bills strengthen our economy by providing jobs through key investments in infrastructure, worker training and placement, making college more affordable, lending programs for small businesses, and honoring our commitment to our veterans," said Congressman Ciro D. Rodriguez.

Specifically, Congressman Rodriguez secured funding for the following projects in San Antonio and Bexar County:

- * \$7.9 Million for Kelly Field Annex Aircraft Maintenance Shops
- \$1.2 Million for Stinson Municipal Airport for Airport Improvement
- \$1.1 Million for City of San Antonio Police Technology Improvements
- \$500,000 for VIA Metropolitan Transit, Bus Rapid Transit, Buses and Bus Facilities
- \$300,000 for University of Texas Health Science Center for facilities, equipment and technology
- \$200,000 for Alamo Community College Air Traffic Controllers Program for technology and equipment

The FY 2010 Consolidated Appropriations bill must still be signed by the President.

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